

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUTPCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In Re:) Chapter 11
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CONE MILLS CORPORATION, *et al.*,) Case No. 03-12944 (MFW)
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Debtors.)
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CROMPTON COLORS, INC.)
)
Appellant)
)
v.) Civil Action No. 05-232 GMS
)
INTERNATIONAL TEXTILE GROUP,)
INC. f/k/a WLR Cone Mills Acquisition)
LLC, f/k/a/ WLR Recovery Fund II, L.P.)
)
Appellee)

ORDER APPROVING JOINT BRIEFING SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2005, a Notice of Appeal of the Order of the
Bankruptcy Court entered on February 28, 2005 was filed; and

WHEREAS, on May 4, 2005, this case was referred to the Appellate Mediation
Panel, and further briefing was deferred; and

WHEREAS, on August 23, 2005, a Notice of Completion of Mediation was filed
by Vincent J. Poppiti, Esq.; and

WHEREAS, on September 7, 2005, this Court entered an Order ordering the
parties to submit a jointly prepared briefing schedule for the Court's consideration; and

WHEREAS, on October 7, 2005, the parties submitted a Proposed Joint Briefing
Schedule;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The opening brief of the Appellant is due no later than October 31, 2005;
2. The answering brief of the Appellee is due no later than December 15, 2005;
3. The reply brief of the Appellant is due no later than January 20, 2006; and
4. The dates set forth above may be modified by further Order of this Court.

BY THE COURT:

Dated:

GREGORY M. SLEET,
UNITED STATES DISTRCIT COURT JUDGE